

TOXIC SUBSTANCES CONTROL ACT (TSCA)12-9 State/Tribal Cooperative Agreements (Toxic Substances Control Projects)

1. AUTHORITY. To approve cooperative agreements with States and federally recognized Indian tribes and tribal organizations for the development, establishment, and operation of toxic substances control projects leading to the prevention or elimination of unreasonable risks to health or the environment, as authorized under Sections 10(a) and 28 of the Toxic Substances Control Act ("TSCA"), 15 U.S.C. §§ 2609(a) and 2627.
2. TO WHOM DELEGATED. To the Director, Land and Chemicals Division.
3. LIMITATIONS.
 - a. Nothing in the foregoing delegation shall be deemed to eliminate or affect any requirement regarding review and approval by the Region 5 Senior Resource Official prior to execution (award) of any assistance under this delegation.
 - b. Except where inconsistent, nothing in the foregoing delegation shall be deemed to revoke, modify, rescind, or affect any other delegation of authority.
4. REDELEGATION AUTHORITY. This authority may not be redelegated further than specified here.
5. ADDITIONAL REFERENCES.
 - a. Headquarters Delegation 12-9;
 - b. 40 CFR Parts 31, 32, 34, 35, 36, 40 and 45;
 - c. Federal Grant and Cooperative Agreement Act of 1977, as amended, 31 U.S.C. § 6301 *et seq*;
 - d. EPA Order 5700.1, "Policy for Distinguishing Between Assistance and Acquisition";
 - e. EPA's Assistance Administration Manual; and
 - f. Region 5 Delegation 1-14.